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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

We have a tracfone that belongs to my teenage daughter. We bought her this phone mostly for security and so that she could call us after school activities to give us her status on rides, when she would be home, if she would be late, etc. However, we also informed her that she could use the phone for other calls, provided she supplied her own airtime. So she does various chores around the house to pay for her airtime minutes. If you continue to add fees to the cost of her having this phone, she will no longer be able to afford it.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

Nancy Nordstrom
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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members